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Stacey Stamper

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Invention: VARIED-THICKNESS HEAT SINK FOR  
INTEGRATED CIRCUIT (IC) PACKAGES AND  
METHOD OF FABRICATING IC PACKAGES

Applicant(s): Kinsman et al.  
Filing Date: March 30, 2000  
Serial No.: 09/538,684  
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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

This reply is sent in response to the Final Rejection of the claimed invention in the Office Action of October 22, 2002, whose timely period of response occurs on December 22, 2002, and whose initial period of response is set to expire on January 22, 2003.